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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 710

By Beavers

A RESOLUTION to recognize Susan Lavender, 2000 Salutatorian of Middle Tennessee Christian School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those persons who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Susan Lavender is one such exceptional student who was recently named salutatorian of the 2000 graduating class at Middle Tennessee Christian School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and unyielding commitment of time and talent, Susan has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Susan has earned an exemplary 4.02 grade point average; and

WHEREAS, in addition to her dedication to academic excellence, Susan is a stellar athlete and was named "Most Athletic"; and

WHEREAS, she was a member of the All-Region Basketball Team, and also played tennis, soccer, and ran cross country during her exemplary high school tenure; and

WHEREAS, an outstanding student, leader, and Christian, Susan Lavender has been a valued and dedicated member of Christian Leadership since her 7th grade year; and

WHEREAS, Susan's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Susan's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Jim and Sally Lavender, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Susan Lavender's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, That we hereby commend and honor 2000 Middle Tennessee Christian School High School Salutatorian, Susan Lavender, on her impressive academic achievement, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.